For the Northern District of California

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

DIANA LYNN WEST,

Plaintiff,

No. C 13-00087 PJH

V.

CAROLYN W. COLVIN, Acting Commissioner of Social Security, ORDER DIRECTING PLAINTIFF TO INFORM COURT WHETHER SHE CONSENTS TO MAGISTRATE JUDGE FOR ALL PURPOSES

Defendant.

In cases initially assigned to a district judge, the parties may consent at any time to reassignment of the case to a magistrate judge for all purposes, including entry of final judgment. See Civil L.R. 73-1(b). This option is being made available because the magistrate judges in this district have smaller civil dockets and no felony criminal cases and may be able to adjudicate this case more expeditiously than the undersigned district judge. On February 28, 2013, defendant filed a consent to proceed before a magistrate judge.

Accordingly, plaintiff is hereby DIRECTED to advise the court, no later than **March 22, 2013**, whether she consents to have a magistrate judge conduct all further proceedings in the instant action. Normally the parties would be directed to so inform the court in their Joint Case Management Statement filed in connection with the initial case management conference. However, because this case involves a review of an administrative record, a case management conference has not been scheduled. The parties are advised that they may jointly request assignment to a specific magistrate judge. For plaintiff's convenience, a consent form is attached hereto; forms are also available at http://cand.uscourts.gov, in the "Forms" section.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

Dated: February 28, 2013

PHYLLIS J. HAMILTON United States District Judge

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10	Defendant.	
11	CONSENT TO PROCEED BEFORE A UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE In accordance with the provisions of Title 28, U.S.C. Section 636(c), the undersigned party or parties to the above-captioned civil matter hereby voluntarily consent to have a United States Magistrate Judge conduct any and all further proceedings in the case, including trial, and order the entry of a final judgment. Appeal from the judgment shall be taken directly to the United States Court of Appeals for the Ninth Circuit.	
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the undersigned